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Applicants:

Lee and McPherron

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Application No.:

09/841,730

Examiner:

J.T. Woitach

Filed:

April 24, 2001

Title:

TRANSGENIC NON-HUMAN ANIMALS EXPRESSING A TRUNCATED ACTIVIN TYPE II RECEPTOR (Amended)

MAIL STOP PATENT EXTENSION

Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing an Amendment in Response to the Office Action mailed on March 3, 2003.

The requested extension is for One (1) Month, extending the period for response from June 3, 2003 to July 3, 2003.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, July 3, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP PATENT EXTENSION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Enclosed is Check No. 540034 in the amount of \$55.00 for the One (1) Month Extension of Time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge for any other required fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of this Petition Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: <u>July 3, 2003</u>

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